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From: Christopher Schaffner [chris@greenengineer.com]
Sent: Wednesday, September 14, 2005 10:20 AM
To: Planning Board
Subject: work on sundays

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From: Roland Bartl
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Will do. The subject matter was raised in connection with the Ellsworth Village permit. It states:

Restrictions on Construction Activities

The following restrictions on construction activities shall apply:

- Construction for all work shown on the Plan shall be limited to the hours between 7:00 AM and 5:00 PM Monday through Friday. Work on the Site itself, but not in any public way, may also be conducted between 9:00 AM and 4:00 PM on weekends.
- Blasting, if necessary, shall be limited to the hours between 9:00 AM and 5:00 PM Monday through Friday.
- Construction and contractor vehicle access to the Site shall be restricted to the emergency access route via 133 Great Road shown on the Plan. Construction and contractor vehicle access via Brabrook Road shall be prohibited, except for work actually performed on Brabrook, Flagg, and Pope Roads as approved hereunder and except for extra large vehicles that cannot safely negotiate the access from Great Road.

This is not necessarily standard language. Many permits are without restriction on work hours. There is usually no problem anywhere with Sunday work, either because it does not happen, or it is very limited and considerate. I cannot remember any complaints. The Town does not have a bylaw on this.

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